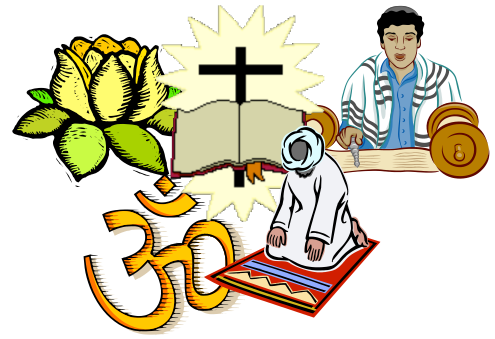


## Religious and Moral Education



S1 use the textbook 'RE Matters' and begin to explore:

- What is religion?
- What is morality?
- What is philosophy?

The topic areas highlight the relevance, importance and value of Religious Studies. They include:

- ❖ Belief in action
- ❖ Holy Books
- ❖ Ceremonies
- ❖ Festivals
- ❖ Environmental issues
- ❖ Holy days and Holy places

Throughout the work, pupils are encouraged to think about the relationship between the beliefs and practices of a religion and the ways in which people respond to social and moral issues. They are also encouraged to reflect on their own responses to religious, moral and social issues.

The department's website ([www.kgsorkney.co.uk/re](http://www.kgsorkney.co.uk/re)) includes links to a number of useful sites, together with a variety of games and puzzles.

### Assessment

There is no formal assessment for this course, but pupils are expected to complete a variety of projects and homework tasks.